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RESPONSE

SIR:

The following is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 13, 2004.

Applicant hereby submits a corrected section of the entire "Amendments to the Claims" Section.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.